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WILLIAM JAMES LOWERY  
FORMER DL 2-S

JOE RODRIGUEZ MOLINA  
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ReBulet to Dallas dated 11/17/66, captioned as above.

WILLIAM JAMES LOWERY, former security informant of the Dallas Office, was recontacted on 11/28/66, by SAs GERALD LEWIS GEARY and EDWIN D. KUYKENDALL. At this time, LOWERY was reminded that in any testimony he should testify truthfully without embellishment of the facts. He agreed that the only testimony he could provide in this case would be exactly what the facts were as he knew them with no additional comments being made. LOWERY further stated that he had been contacted again during the past few days by DALE SIMPSON, private investigator, (former Special Agent, FBI) who advised him the trial concerning instant matter that was scheduled for 12/28/66, has now been postponed, new date for trial being unknown at this time. LOWERY stated he would keep the Dallas Office advised concerning developments in this matter.

DL-6-S on 11/30/66, was alerted by SA EDWIN D. KUYKENDALL to the possibility his name might be discussed in instant trial because informant and LOWERY were Communist Party (CP) members in Dallas at the time JOE MOLINA was active in the Dallas Chapter of the American GI Forum, which had been infiltrated by the CP during that period of time. Informant was advised that if his name should be revealed in this trial that he should make every feasible effort to maintain his relationship with the FBI in confidence. It was pointed

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out to informant that in similar situations persons co-operating with the FBI in the past in the same manner as informant has been doing, has in similar situations made themselves unavailable after being disclosed as a communist and were able to avoid embarrassment and maintain their confidential status. Informant stated he would immediately notify the FBI Office if he receives any information pertinent to this matter. (u)

DL-1-S is unavailable for contact. This informant in October, 1966, suffered a cerebral hemorrhage and no contact has been possible with him since that time. On 11/25/66, observation of him in the hospital room indicated he is near death.

The Bureau will be kept advised of pertinent developments in captioned matter.

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